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File No. 74-26

Previous References
Police 103-25 (1-9) (Geol 11/ Pol)

Serial Nos. 1-4

Later References
Geol. 66-PP (1-27)

(29)

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Serial Nos. four

Part B for Febry-27

SUBJECT

manufacture and possession of Bellaki Pattas — Special license for

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D 6433 of 10.2.27

TO Dt. Magistrate Chitaldrug

State that the petitioner may be given special permission to dispose of the quantity he has in his possession — hand in this eye

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Police

NOTES.

File No. 13-2.

FILE HEADING.

Manufacture and possession of Betelli Patta

From The Dy Com^r & Dist Magistrate Jaffna

No. 1-5-26 Jud.C Dated 3.7.26 Received 6.7.26

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Stating that under "S.P.R. 1910. Cri." betel patakas are not classed as fireworks, but that licenses if enforced as per recent Circular orders of 29.6.26 will have to be granted only by Govt under Art: 9 & 10 & Therefore requesting that subsidiary rules on uniform form of application, forms of licenses, and fee to be may be issued for the guidance of the local staff.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Submit for personal orders, with a copy of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation

Case 14/7/26. The case quoted by the Dist Magistrate is not available in the Chief Court, may have the necessary Volume

Case

14/7

JC 14/7

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3) A copy of the report containing the case quoted by the Distt magistrate is not available. From the extract given, it is seen that Coloured Potash with stones is not considered a fire-work requiring license. The mixture in this case is Potassium Chlorate + Arsenic Sulphide. The mixture is coloured; but it can be called Coloured Potash is doubtful. Looking at Sec 8(a) of the Explosives Regulation, it is clear that the mixture is a "Fulminate" + to possess a fulminate a license is necessary (vide flag M). As stated by the Distt magistrate, the licensing authority is Govt + the form of license has to be prescribed by Govt. The Inspector Explosives may be requested to send up a draft form, in case, the Govt adhere to the orders issued already (flag S).

4) As stated by the Distt magistrate these "Pallaks" are in Common use + there will inconvenience if Govt have to be approached for a license. If the decision quoted by him is adopted, no license may be necessary. But in the face of the orders issued + considering that the decision is not of our Chief Court, we need not act upon it, until Sarcare obtains a decision on the point in our Chief Court. The Inspector of

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Explosives may perhaps be addressed as regards the form of licence, fees & other particulars, necessary in such cases.

Lt L Secy

1st Asstt

5/4/26

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6/ Draft sd

Secy 9/8/26 9/8/26

9) Form of licence and fees for purposes of Arts 9 and 10 of Schedule I of the Rules under the Explosives Regulation have to be prescribed by Govt. It is not clear if these have not already been prescribed. The Book portion (Rules under the Explosives Regn) was printed in 1924 & it is likely that action in the matter may have been taken since. The DC Branch may be consulted, before addressing the Inspector of Explosives.

Inspector of Explosives

8) It is also clear that further action in the file, viz prescribing forms & fees, has to be taken in the DC Br. The file may perhaps be transferred to that Branch — Legn. and Orders

Dy Secy 10/8

Cag 10/8

Transferred to the DC Branch)

9/ Yes 8/8 11.8 cag 11.8

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Secy Br

(1) Please see the enclosed slip of records & put up the original Col. (Pol. 103-26-9).

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13.9.26.

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(2) Nil file is put up. 29.9.26

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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D 1800 / P

Petition dt 11.10.1926 from Mr. M. Abdul Gaffar, Explosive Licenseholder & Cycle Repairer, Davangere stating that as he has received a notice from the Police that he should take a special licence for ~~selling~~ manufacturing & selling "Bellulli Pattas" and that he has some stock of last years with him and praying for the grant of a special licence for 10 lbs of this, etc

12) The petition has been insufficiently stamped

Draft to however post up for orders: the may perhaps be returned to the 15/10. Pte for where the question of the licence be for any licensee is to be dealt with, being the addn by an unlicensed Explosives Supt.

Copy 15/10

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13) A similar reference from the Dt. Mag. (probably) Kolar

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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returned to this Br. & it was returned back to the Pens Br. requesting for its retransmission with complete refees & the same has not come.

It] This may also be returned to the Pens. Br. etc. for in continuation.

20.10.26

20.10.26

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It] What about it? Cas 28/10

29/10

It] Pens file A is sent with (illegible) & its reference, of which we are to keep in mind, this connection (illegible).

1/11/26

It] may now be sent back to the Development Roomsh. Cas 29.10

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18/ Mess Woodhaken relative to the Fauna of explosive cases and as such have to be dealt with in the I.T.C. Branch, where they may be handed. The original petition has been also sent to that Section Court

25/10/26

19/ To the I.T.C. Branch

25/10

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	20) Circular dt 20.6.26 was issued in consultation with the Chief Inspr. of mines & Explosives. As no clear rules have been framed for the grant of licenses for the manufacture & Sale of Bellulli Patties the Dt. Mag. Mysore has approached Govt. & it seems necessary to get the draft set of rules & form for the grant of licn (from the Chief Inspr.).
	~~The above draft rules have also~~ 24) Rcvd. with 3 drafts for appvl: & other orders.
	22) Two dfts for appl. No endorsement seems yet received to the party. Sec'y D) WP 9/11
1)	To, Dt. Mag. Chitaldrug appd. issue Dd - letter sd. above 23) Cir 10.11.26 a report this Govt. Chief Inspr. of Mines WP 10/11
2)	To, Chief Inspr. of mines No. 5332 dt. 15/11/26 Dd: Copy of Mys. Dt. Mag's letter dt. 3.7.26 & calls for Submn. of a draft set of rules with license forms for Govt's consn. from Mr. Abdul Kaffar Petn dt 26-11-26.

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Perus for the speedy disposal of this petn dt 11.10.26 in the matter of the grant of a licence for the manufacture of "Bellulli Pattas" as this previous application has been forwarded to the Dt Magt. Chittg. for a report.

25) Repre: is also invited to para (22) of office note (P.8)

26) Forwarded

29/12/26. VS 27) Please send a reminder to Dt Magt. Chittagong.

WP 6/12

28) An ordinary reminder issued. No. D.3985 dt 3/1/27

6/12

29) Submd. with a draft reminder

30/12/26 VS 30) Approved. Please issue at once and send reminders every fortnight till the Rules are received.

WP 10/1

Issued 5328 dt. 12.1.27

Sir Bhore 27/12/26

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Sir Bhore 27/1/27 12/2/27

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From the Chief Inspr of Mines & Explosives No. 1196 dt 26-1-1927 states that permission to Md. Abdul Gaffur to dispose of stock of 10 tins of "Bellulli Pattas" with a warning not to manufacture further may be

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grievance & that as regards the issue of formal rules the question may be kept in abeyance till the Govt. of India rules are published.

31) The Explosives Rules ~~is~~ now in force in Mysore are modelled on those in force in Br. India, & Govt. of India ~~,~~ no special rules on the subject in question have yet been issued & the Ch: Insp^r suggests that action in this matter may, if necessary, be taken after rules are promulgated in Br. India); and as regards the present prayer of the applicant he suggests (Ch: Insp^r) that the petr may be given a special permission to remove the quantity he has now on hand, viz. 10 lbs, with a warning not to manufacture any more. If approved, the Dt may will be intimated accordy

32) For orders.

24.1.27 33) Yes. Pleas Dft.

WD 2/2

34) Draft subd.

3.2.27 Dft for appl

Sec'D) WD 4/2

He may be given spl permission, certain but I don't see why he shd be warned

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not to manufacture any more, Kilo a Decision has been reached on the proposed question. It would perhaps do if each time he manufactures, he takes out a special permit.

2nd Member)

5-2-27

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
5 FEB. 1927
No. 5314

Draft appd
7.2.27

Issue

4. To,

Dt. Magistrate, Chitaldrug

No. 6433 G. 10/2/27

States that the Petnr. may be given Spl. permission to dispose of the quantity he has at hand, within 1 year

No. 6434 - Copy to Ch. Secretr. of Mysore

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No. G.1-5-26.Judl.

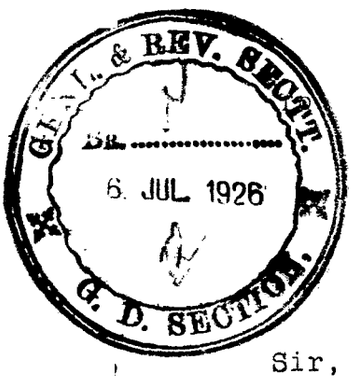
Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.
Dated, Mysore, 3rd July 1926.

From

A.V. Ramanathan, Esq., B.A.,

Deputy Commissioner, & Dt. Magistrate,
Mysore District.

Pol ~~103-25~~ 13-26-1



B. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore
Local & Legislative Departments
Bangalore.

Sir,

Subject:- Re manufacture and possession of "Bellulli Pattas".

With reference to G.No.P.6462-70/Pol.103-25-9 dated 29th June 1926 notifying that the manufacture and possession of Bellulli Pattas (throw downs or small bombs used during Deepavali and Shaban Festivals) except under license is contrary to and is punishable under the Law, I have the honor to state that up to now no license is granted in this District on the authority of 8 P.R. 1910 Crl. I note in the margin the case law for ready reference.

"8. P.R.1910/Crl.
Pattaks which are small packets, wrapped in a paper of coloured potash mixed with small pieces of Kankar and which explode with slight report when thrown with force against wall or other hard surface are not fire works within the meaning of the Explosives Act, and so no license is necessary for the manufacture of sale of Patakas. "

Licenses under Articles 9 and 10 are to be given only by the Government. The 'Pattakas' in question are in general use and are made commonly by many people. It would cause inconvenience in practice if all of them have to apply to the Government.

I request therefore that subsidiary rules as regards form or application, forms of license and fee, if any, may

kindly

kindly be issued for the guidance of the local staff.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

V S Vasudeva Rao

for District Magistrate,

Mysore District.

A.N.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & EXPLOSIVES
Rec'd to Regd. No. 1028
Date 15/12/26.
GOLCONDA, K.G.F.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

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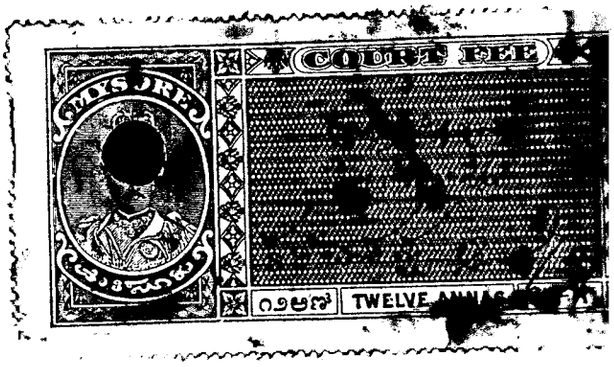

The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore.

Bangalore. 1801.

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Respected Sir,

The undersigned is a License holder for manufacturing and selling Fire Works under the Mysore Explosives Rule; order no A. 8. B. 12, of the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldroog.

I have recently received a notice from the Police, that I must have a special License from the Govt. for manufacturing and selling 'Bellulli' Crackers. I know the process by which these crackers can be manufactured without any danger, and my work shop is also situated outside the Town limits.

As I have got some of my last years stock also with me, I humbly request you to kindly grant me this special License for 10 pounds, and I am prepared to pay any stamps that I am required to do.

Thanking you very much,

I remain, Respected Sir,

yours obediently,

M. Abdool Guffar

11th October 1926
Davangere

My address:—

M. Abdul Gyaffoor,
Explosive License Holder
and Cycle Repairer
Davangere

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The Chief Secretary to The Government
of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Respected Sir,

I have not yet received anything in reply to my Application dated 11.10.1926, requesting the grant of Special License for manufacturing and selling "Ballulli" Crackers. The Deepavali Festival is fast approaching, and an early grant of License will very much help me as I have some of my last year's stock to dispose of. Therefore I humbly request you to kindly grant me this Special Licence as early as possible, and for this act of kindness I shall forever remain grateful to you

Thanking you,
Respected Sir, I remain,
yours obediently,
M. Abdool Guffar

Dated 21.10.1926.
Davangere.

Sam: Mr. Abdul Gyaffoor,
Explosive License Holder,
+ Cycle Repairer,
Davangere.

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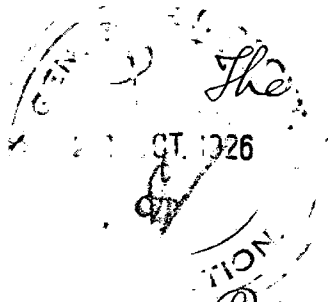

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Respected Sir

I am sorry I have not heard anything in reply to me appli Cation dated 11th inst: and reminder dated 21st inst: requesting the grant of a Special License to me, for manufacturing and selling 'Bellu ki' crackers. The Deepavali Festival is very fast approaching and an immediate grant of the above license will very much help me. Otherwise I shall be put to a lot of loss, as I have some of my last years stock to sell. Therefore I humbly request you to grant me this special License immediately

Thanking you in anticipation,

I remain, Respected Sir,

Yours obediently,

M. Abdool Gaffar

Mr. Abdool Gaffar
Explosive License Holder
Davangere.
11th October 26

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GOVT. OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA
OF MYSORE.

GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT.

Gen. 74-26-1.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

No. P 3331 dt 15/11/26
Enclose.

The accompanying Petition Registered

No. 1800 dated 11.10.26

received at the General and Revenue Secretariat from one M. Abdul Gaffar, Explosives License holder + cycle Repairer, Davangere requesting special license for manufacturing & selling "Bellulli Pattas etc,

15.11.26
Signed by Mr
V. Venkaya

is forwarded, ~~together with its enc~~
to the Dy. Mech. Master, chitaldrug for favour of a report thereon for the Chief Inspector of Explosives & Mines

By Order,

MP 9/11

for Secretary.

Dy. Secy.

BANGALORE,
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WD 425—GPB—2000—3-11-25

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By Order.

Secretary.

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SUBJECT.....

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File No. ~~12 ab~~ 74-4

Diary No. of letter replied to 1193

Serial No. 2

No. P. 3332 of 10/11/26

To Chief ~~Inspector~~ Controller of Explosives

~~Madras~~

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 15. 11. 26

Signed by [illegible]

List of enclosures.....

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of ~~your~~ D.O. letter no Q. 1-5-26 dtd 3.7.26 requesting subsidiary instructions for the working of the circular no. P. 6462-70/A 103-25-99 29.6.26 re the illicit manufacture and possession of "Bilauthi Salai" or Indian Rouge, and to request you to be good enough to submit for consideration a draft copy of rules with the necessary forms for licenses, providing ~~precautions~~ safeguards for the particulars - at an early date.

2) This may be over-stated by accident

WD 01265—GPB—31,000—24-12-25

3) A spare copy of circular 9.6.26 issued on the subject is also enclosed

Received by

15/11/26

No. 1321

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To The Chief Secretary to
The Government of Mysore.
Bangalore

GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT
3260
20 NOV 1926
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH.

Respected Sir,

I very much regret to inform you that I have not got any reply to my application dated 11.10.1926, requesting the grant of License for manufacturing and selling 'Bellulli' Crackers, and also to my subsiquent reminders date 21.10.1926 & 27.10.1926. I have been put to a great loss for want of this. Therefore I humbly requish you to kindly grant me this License as early as possible and for which act of kindness I shall ever remain grateful to you.

I beg to remain
Respected Sir,
Yours abidently.
M. Abdool Gaffoor

From:-
Mr. Abdul Gaffoor,
Explosive License Holder,
Davangere
Dated: 26th November 1926.

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Serial No.

No. D 5328

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Chief Inspr

of Mines

Sir

Date of issue 12/1/27

Signed by Mr. H-V

In writing attention to this office No. D. 3332/Est 24-26-2 of 15.11.26 and subsequent reminder of 7.12.26 requesting you to submit a ~~draft~~ draft set of rules with necessary forms for licenses &c. re the illicit manufacture & possession of "Bellulli Patas" or throw-dos I am directed to enquire as to when the rules called for can be expected here.

I have &c

List of enclosures.....

Copied by.....

Examined by.....

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.D. M. E 7.]

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

Telegraphic address :—
"MINESPECTOR."

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

No. 1195
Encl. 5.

Dated Oorgaum, 26th January 1927.
(S. India.)

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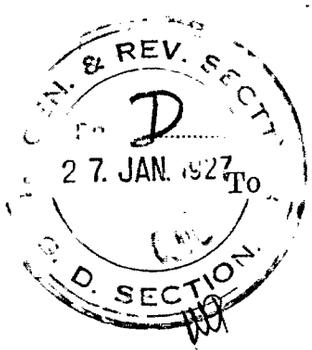
FROM

R. BOCQUET, ESQUIRE, J. P.,
CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

Geol. 74-26-3



The Secretary
to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Development Departments,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

In forwarding, herewith, letter No. 552 dated 14th December 1926 from the District Magistrate, Chitaldrug District, addressed to you, re: the petition of Mr. Abdul Gaffur, Explosives Licensee, Davangere, praying for the grant of a special license to manufacture and sell "Bellulli Pattas" together with its enclosures, and also wi reference to your letter No. D.3332/Geol. 74-26-2 dated 15th November 1926 re: draft rules regarding the illicit manufacture and possession of "Bellulli Pattas", I have the honour to state as follows:-

(2) 1. The prohibition, except under a license granted by Government, of the manufacture or possession of a mixture of Arsenic Sulphide and Potassium Chlorate, locally known as "Bellulli Pattas" was recommended and ordered by Government in Notification No. P.6462-70/Police.103-25-9 dated 29th June 1926 following the procedure adopted by the Government of India in this respect, after observing, like them, that a large proportion of accidents by explosives was due to the use of this highly dangerous mixture by the public on an extensive scale.

(3) 2. As the Explosives Rules in force in the State are modelled on those obtaining in British India it would be advisable, in the first instance, to ascertain the views of the Government of India in the matter of the grant of licenses for the manufacture or possession of

of these dangerous sulphur-chlorate mixtures, conditions to be imposed on licensees, fees, &c. The Chief Inspector of Explosives in India, who was consulted in the matter says - in his letter No.E-6(2) dated 25th November 1926, copy enclosed for reference - that no such license form is yet introduced in British India, although the order prohibiting the manufacture or possession of sulphur chlorate mixtures except under a license from the Governor General in Council is current.

(4) Under the circumstances, the petitioner Mr. Abdul Gaffur, Explosives Licensee, may be permitted as recommended by the District Magistrate, Chitaldrug, to dispose of without a license - as a special case - his stock of 10 lbs. of "Bellulli Pattas", with a warning not to manufacture any more.

(5) Draft rules for the manufacture, possession and sale of sulphur chlorate mixtures belonging to the 5th (Fulminate) class of explosives may be prepared, if required, but it appears advisable to wait and watch the developments in British India in this connection, since it has been the practice hitherto to follow the procedure obtaining there regarding explosives.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

F. Bourquet.

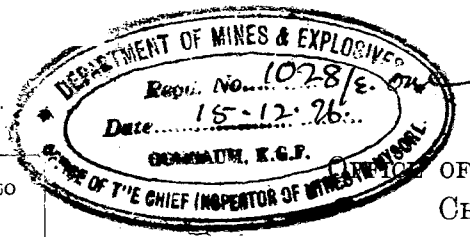
CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES

IN MYSORE.

R. S.

Tel: Address:—DISMAG.
Chitaldrug.

In reply, please refer to
No. 5762
Enclosures. one


DEPARTMENT OF MINES & EXPLOSIVES
Regn. No. 1028/E. 26
Date 15-12-26
OOREGAUM, K.G.F.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE

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OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Dated Chitaldrug 14th December 1926.

FROM

D.Srinivasa Iyengar Esq B.A.,
~~S.VENKATARANGAM, ESQ., B.A. B.L.,~~
District Magistrate,
Chitaldrug District.

To

R.Ranganatha Rao Saheb Esq B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to Government, Development Department,
B a n g a l o r e.

Through
The Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore, Ooregaum,K.G.F

Sir,

Adverting to your No.D.333/Geo.74-26-1 dated 15th November 1926 forwarding for report through the Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives, the petition of Mr.Abdul Gaffar, Explosives License holder and cycle repairer, Davangere praying for special license for manufacturing and selling "Bellulli pattas" &c., I have the honor to forward herewith correspondence ending with Davangere Taluk Amildar and Ex-officio Magistrate's report No.167/26-27 dated 10th December 1926 recommending that a permit may be given to the petitioner for a period of one year to enable him to sell away the old stock of 10 lbs. of Bellulli Pattas which he has now with him. The recommendation of the Amildar Magistrate may be approved and a license granted to the applicant for a year for selling his old stock. The petition is herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,
S I R,
Your most obedient servant,

R.M. 15/12/26.

For District Magistrate.

2nd Encl. to 8(c).3

Official memorandum No. D.333/Geol.74-26-1 dated 15-11-1926 from the Development Secretary to Government to the District Magistrate, Chitaldrug.

The accompanying petition registered No.1800 dated 11th October 1926 received at the General and Revenue Secretariat from one Mr. Abdul Gaffar Explosives license holder and cycle repairer, Davangere, requesting special license for manufacturing and selling Bellulli pattas &c., is forwarded with compliments to the District Magistrate, Chitaldrug District for favor of a report through the Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives.

No. 434 a/1

Copy is forwarded to the Amildar Magistrate, Davangere for report as to the necessity of the grant of the license prayed for by the applicant in view of the dangerous nature of the mixture of arsenic sulphide and potassium chlorate forming Bellulli pattas. The enclosed petition may be returned with his report.

From 40 1970 of 26-27
29-11-26.
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Chitaldrug.
21st November 1926.

S.V.

For District Magistrate,
Chitaldrug District.

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Remarks
maybe 26/11

9/12/26

Submitted

This Abdul Jaffursab is a license holder for the
reported to be
past 8 years and he is manufacturing Bellulli Pattas
as an
since then He is known Expert fire works-manufacturer
so much so there has been no danger from his ware
He has a stock of 10 lbs of the same He may
be permitted to dispose of the same as the
stock has to be left with him or destroyed otherwise
there seems no necessity

CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE
CHITALDRUG
No. 12315 11 DEC. 1926

Submitted - a Petition for a year maybe given to
enable the petr to sell his stock.

Remarks
maybe 10.12.26

3rd Encl. to Sl. 3

Letter No.E-6(2) dated 25th November 1926 from the Chief Inspector of Explosives in India, to the Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore.

Reference your Demi Official No.727 dated 17th November 1926, I forward herewith a copy of a letter No. M-1099 dated 7th October 1926 from the Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour to all Local Governments and Administrations from which it will be seen that the possession of Sulphur Chlorate Mixtures is prohibited by law except under a license from the Governor General in Council. No such license is at present in force in British India.

"C o p y"

K. Bocquet.

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES

IN MYSORE. 26-1-27.

R.S.

Ltr Encl to Sl 3

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Copy of a letter No. M-1099 dated Simla, the 7th October 1926 from the Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour to all local Governments and Administrations and Resident at Hyderabad (exeept Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan).

Subject.- Manufacture or possession of a mixture of Arsenic Sulphide and Potassium Chlorate.

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I am directed to observe that, in spite of the attention drawn by the Government of India and Local Governments to the highly dangerous character of a mixture of Arsenic Sulphide and Potassium Chlorate, this mixture is still widely used by manufacturers of fireworks throughout India, and a large proportion of the acidents recorded in connection with the manufacture and use of explosives is directly attributable to this cause. The possession of such a mixture is prohibited by law except under a license from the Governor General in Council and no such license is at present in force. I am to suggest that where, as a result of an accident or otherwise, the possession of this mixture is discovered, a prosecution should ordinarily be instituted against the offenders. I am also to request that, when accidents due to the mixture in question are reported to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, a report may also be sent of any prosecution instituted agains those responsible.

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"C o p y"

A. Bocquet.

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to 4606

Section Geol

File No. 74-26

Serial No. 4

No. D 8633 of 14-12-26

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Dt. Engr. Chestaldry

Date of issue 10.2.27

Signed by M V Rao,

Sir

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. 5552 of 14.12.26 received thro' the Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore in the matter of the grant of a special license in favour of Mr. Mr. Abdul Gaffoor of Davangere, for the manufacture and sale of "Bellulli Pattas", I am directed to state that the

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betelnuts above referred to may be given special permission to dispose of ~~in ~~ ~~quantity~~ ~~than~~ within a period of one year the quantity he has on hand now, viz. 10 lbs and ~~that~~ he may be further warned not to manufacture any more quantity ~~of~~ the said compound

I have &c

7/2/27

W
4/2 Dep. Secy

Memo D. [illegible]

Copy forwarded with compliments to the Chief Inspr of Mines with reference to Correr ending with his letter No. 1195 dt 26-1-27.

By order

W
4/2 Dep. Secy

Ld J

As previous indications of the symbol 'P R' have not been available in the Chief Constable's Office records, historical Constables, with the result that it seems to refer to 'Panjabee Receiver' which is shown to be referred to in the Ld: Court Circular the said reference would be available.

Mrs Hewitt. for orders whether the Dy Commissioner may be asked to send a copy of the 'P R' for reference

Lord Londesborough - Mrs. Court have it - as this is old report, return use. He has probably got the extract from the Digest. cag 25/7

I will see the Chief Court cag 26/7